

117TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. R. 2788

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

MAY 19, 2021

Received; read twice and referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs

AN ACT

To amend title 38, United States Code, to eliminate the cap on full-time employees of the Department of Veterans Affairs who provide equal employment opportunity counseling.

1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

1 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

2 This Act may be cited as the “VA Equal Employment
3 Opportunity Counselor Modernization Act”.

4 **SEC. 2. ELIMINATION OF CAP ON FULL-TIME EMPLOYEES**
5 **OF THE DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AF-**
6 **FAIRS WHO PROVIDE EQUAL EMPLOYMENT**
7 **OPPORTUNITY COUNSELING.**

8 (a) IN GENERAL.—Section 516 of title 38, United
9 States Code, is amended—

10 (1) by striking subsection (g); and

11 (2) by redesignating subsection (h) as sub-
12 section (g).

13 (b) REPORT.—Not later than 60 days after the date
14 of the enactment of this Act, the Secretary of Veterans
15 Affairs shall submit to the Committees on Veterans’ Af-
16 fairs of the Senate and House of Representatives a report
17 regarding the effect of the amendment under subsection
18 (a).

Passed the House of Representatives May 18, 2021.

Attest: CHERYL L. JOHNSON,
Clerk.